progress on the implementation of various bilateral economic and development cooperation projects, and reiterated their desire to further deepen and diversify such cooperation.

An Agreement was signed between Indian Oil Corporation and Nepal Oil Corporation for a joint venture regarding construction of an oil pipeline between Raxaul (India) and Amlekhgunj (Nepal).

The other Agreements concluded during the visit were Agreement between Bureau of Indian Standards and Nepal Bureau of Standards and Metrology, as first step towards mutual recognition of certification systems, Agreement on Cooperation in the field of Culture and Sports and memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation in the field of Weather Forecasting.

Enactment of Law regarding crimes in SEZs

†781. SHRI PYARELAL KHANDELWAL: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are going to enact a special law regarding crimes committed in Special Economic Zones;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) whether special courts would be constituted for the same?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Proposal to set up and International Trade Promotion Centre at Bangalore

782. SHRIMATI PREMA CARIAPPA: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry is planning to establish an International Trade Promotion Centre at Bangalore, similar to Pragati Maidan of Delhi;

(b) if so, the details of the project and the shares of the State Government in the project;

(c) whether other cities has also been planned for similar project; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.